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Table 1: Economy

		2004	2005	2006	2007	2008
ESTIMATES OF UNEMPLOYMENT - June quarter						
Unemployed persons	no.	535	484	647	452	581
Unemployment rate	%	6.0	5.3	7.1	4.7	5.8
TAXATION STATISTICS - year ended 30 June						
Non-taxable individuals	no.	-	-	2 463	2 722	-
Taxable income (non-taxable individuals)	$m	-	-	18.8	22.7	-
Average taxable income (non-taxable individuals)	$	-	-	7 621	8 338	-
Taxable individuals	no.	-	-	6 904	7 146	-
Taxable income (taxable individuals)	$m	-	-	263.8	301.5	-
Average taxable income (taxable individuals)	$	-	-	38 210	42 187	-
Net tax	$m	-	-	53.0	59.4	-
Average net tax	$	-	-	7 673	8 310	-
Net tax as a proportion of taxable income	%	-	-	20	20	-
Taxable and non-taxable individuals	no.	-	-	9 367	9 868	-
Taxable income (taxable and non-taxable individuals)	$m	-	-	282.6	324.2	-
Average taxable income (taxable and non-taxable individuals)	$	-	-	30 167	32 850	-
SELECTED GOVERNMENT PENSIONS & ALLOWANCES - at 30 June						
Age Pension - Centrelink	no.	1 727	1 585	1 738	1 930	2 044
Age Pension - DVA	no.	np	np	np	np	np
Carers Payment	no.	85	65	73	95	112
Disability Support Pension	no.	767	669	795	881	892
Newstart Allowance	no.	702	531	648	607	643
Parenting Payment - Single	no.	575	471	562	555	485
Youth Allowances	no.	281	222	289	286	259
Newstart Allowance - more than 365 days	%	65.3	66.2	63.9	60.0	59.8
ESTIMATES OF PERSONAL INCOME - year ended 30 June						
Wage and salary earners	no.	6 351	6 720	6 961	7 423	-
Wage and salary income	$m	174.0	193.5	210.6	241.7	-
Average Wage and salary income	$	27 400	28 790	30 256	32 585	-
Own unincorporated business earners	no.	2 466	2 492	2 484	2 565	-
Own unincorporated business income	$m	32.4	31.3	34.9	40.6	-
Average Own unincorporated business income	$	13 158	12 580	14 064	15 832	-
Investment earners	no.	4 209	4 443	4 544	5 015	-
Investment income	$m	16.8	19.9	23.2	27.8	-
Average Investment Income	$	3 998	4 481	5 105	5 541	-
Superannuation and annuity earners	no.	226	275	292	312	-
Superannuation and annuity income	$m	3.9	5.1	5.9	8.9	-
Average Superannuation and annuity income	$	17 297	18 443	20 142	22 145	-
Other income earners (excl. Government pensions & allowances)	no.	913	879	925	952	-
Other income (excl. Government pensions & allowances)	$m	2.4	2.5	2.3	2.6	-
Average other income (excl. Government pensions & allowances)	$	2 574	2 817	2 491	2 737	-
Total income (excl. Government pensions & allowances)	$m	229.8	252.3	276.9	319.8	-
WAGE AND SALARY EARNERS BY AGE AND SEX - year ended 30 June						
Males - 15 years to 24 years	no.	631	670	688	735	-
Males - 25 years to 34 years	no.	710	700	702	747	-
Males - 35 years to 44 years	no.	806	856	856	920	-
Males - 45 years to 54 years	no.	690	713	749	797	-
Males - 55 years to 64 years	no.	440	476	521	556	-
Males - 65 years and over	no.	108	130	195	160	-
Males - Total	no.	3 385	3 545	3 671	3 915	-
Females - 15 years to 24 years	no.	536	570	556	592	-
Females - 25 years to 34 years	no.	583	597	630	678	-
Females - 35 years to 44 years	no.	735	785	828	849	-
Females - 45 years to 54 years	no.	692	762	781	855	-
Females - 55 years to 64 years	no.	366	395	427	463	-
Females - 65 years and over	no.	53	68	68	71	-
Females - Total	no.	2 965	3 177	3 290	3 508	-
Persons - 15 years to 24 years	no.	1 167	1 240	1 244	1 327	-
Persons - 25 years to 34 years	no.	1 293	1 297	1 332	1 425	-
Persons - 35 years to 44 years	no.	1 541	1 641	1 684	1 769	-
Persons - 45 years to 54 years	no.	1 382	1 475	1 530	1 652	-
Persons 55 years to 64 years	no.	806	871	948	1 019	-
Persons - 65 years and over	no.	161	198	223	231	-
Persons - Total	no.	6 350	6 722	6 961	7 423	-
WAGE AND SALARY EARNERS BY OCCUPATION - year ended 30 June						
Managers and Administrators	no.	448	484	476	532	-
Professionals	no.	779	814	810	911	-
Associate Professionals	no.	372	397	421	462	-
Tradespersons and Related Workers	no.	632	652	688	773	-
Advanced Clerical and Service Workers	no.	85	91	86	90	-
Intermediate Clerical, Sales and Service Workers	no.	1 046	1 111	1 205	1 286	-
Intermediate Production and Transport Workers	no.	399	435	473	522	-
Elementary Clerical, Sales and Service Workers	no.	604	657	669	705	-
Labourers and Related Workers	no.	1 490	1 590	1 599	1 685	-
Not Stated	no.	494	516	534	438	-
Total wage and salary earners	no.	6 349	6 721	6 961	7 422	-
ESTIMATES OF HOUSEHOLD WEALTH - year ended 30 June						
Net worth per household	$'000	310.4	-	-	-	-
Aggregate household net worth	$m	2 142.9	-	-	-	-
Equivalised net worth	$'000	291.8	-	-	-	-
Assets per household	$'000	356.3	-	-	-	-
Liabilities per household	$'000	45.9	-	-	-	-
Debt to asset ratio	%	12.9	-	-	-	-
COUNTS OF BUSINESSES, INCLUDING ENTRIES AND EXITS						
Number of Businesses - at 30 June						
Non-employing businesses	no.	1 128	1 089	1 101	1 137	-
Employing businesses: 1 to 4 employees	no.	306	327	303	354	-
Employing businesses: 5 or more employees	no.	372	408	417	411	-
Total businesses	no.	1 806	1 824	1 821	1 902	-
Business Entries - year ended 30 June						
Non-employing business entries	no.	153	162	156	237	-
Employing business entries	no.	78	87	81	120	-
Total business entries	no.	231	249	237	357	-
Business Exits - year ended 30 June						
Non-employing business exits	no.	213	222	198	162	-
Employing business exits	no.	18	21	72	60	-
Total business exits	no.	231	243	270	222	-
Number of Businesses by Industry - at 30 June						
Agriculture, forestry and fishing	no.	654	657	672	678	-
Mining	no.	15	15	12	12	-
Manufacturing	no.	81	75	72	69	-
Electricity, gas and water supply	no.	0	0	0	0	-
Construction	no.	231	222	207	243	-
Wholesale trade	no.	45	48	54	51	-
Retail trade	no.	210	201	198	216	-
Accommodation, cafes and restaurants	no.	60	63	54	57	-
Transport and storage	no.	93	99	102	99	-
Communication services	no.	18	18	18	24	-
Finance and insurance	no.	36	42	54	57	-
Property and business services	no.	243	264	267	264	-
Education	no.	0	3	3	3	-
Health and community services	no.	45	48	51	57	-
Cultural and recreational services	no.	36	33	33	33	-
Personal and other services	no.	39	36	24	39	-
Total businesses	no.	1 806	1 824	1 821	1 902	-

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Table 2: Population and People

		2004	2005
ESTIMATED RESIDENT POPULATION BY AGE AND SEX - at 30 June			
Males - 0 to 4 years	no.	607	624
Males - 5 years to 9 years	no.	700	652
Males - 10 years to 14 years	no.	698	747
Males - 15 years to 19 years	no.	576	574
Males - 20 years to 24 years	no.	548	523
Males - 25 years to 29 years	no.	558	547
Males - 30 years to 34 years	no.	688	682
Males - 35 years to 39 years	no.	710	727
Males - 40 years to 44 years	no.	767	801
Males - 45 years to 49 years	no.	744	745
Males - 50 years to 54 years	no.	725	747
Males - 55 years to 59 years	no.	687	708
Males - 60 years to 64 years	no.	565	606
Males - 65 years to 69 years	no.	477	488
Males - 70 years to 74 years	no.	363	387
Males - 75 years to 79 years	no.	264	284
Males - 80 years to 84 years	no.	131	138
Males - 85 years and over	no.	78	79
Males - Total	no.	9 886	10 059
Females - 0 to 4 years	no.	568	565
Females - 5 years to 9 years	no.	677	669
Females - 10 years to 14 years	no.	700	713
Females - 15 years to 19 years	no.	517	516
Females - 20 years to 24 years	no.	393	374
Females - 25 years to 29 years	no.	460	442
Females - 30 years to 34 years	no.	636	621
Females - 35 years to 39 years	no.	650	668
Females - 40 years to 44 years	no.	681	683
Females - 45 years to 49 years	no.	724	726
Females - 50 years to 54 years	no.	638	671
Females - 55 years to 59 years	no.	629	651
Females - 60 years to 64 years	no.	536	567
Females - 65 years to 69 years	no.	374	408
Females - 70 years to 74 years	no.	284	285
Females - 75 years to 79 years	no.	242	245
Females - 80 years to 84 years	no.	139	141
Females - 85 years and over	no.	127	136
Females - Total	no.	8 975	9 081
Persons - 0 to 4 years	no.	1 175	1 189
Persons - 5 years to 9 years	no.	1 377	1 321
Persons - 10 years to 14 years	no.	1 398	1 460

Persons - 15 years to 19 years	no.	1 093	1 090
Persons - 20 years to 24 years	no.	941	897
Persons - 25 years to 29 years	no.	1 018	989
Persons - 30 years to 34 years	no.	1 324	1 303
Persons - 35 years to 39 years	no.	1 360	1 395
Persons - 40 years to 44 years	no.	1 448	1 484
Persons - 45 years to 49 years	no.	1 468	1 471
Persons - 50 years to 54 years	no.	1 363	1 418
Persons - 55 years to 59 years	no.	1 316	1 359
Persons - 60 years to 64 years	no.	1 101	1 173
Persons - 65 years to 69 years	no.	851	896
Persons - 70 years to 74 years	no.	647	672
Persons - 75 years to 79 years	no.	506	529
Persons - 80 years to 84 years	no.	270	279
Persons - 85 years and over	no.	205	215
Persons - Total	no.	18 861	19 140
POPULATION DENSITY (ESTIMATED RESIDENT POPULATION) - at 30 June			
Population density	persons/km2	-	-
ESTIMATED RESIDENT INDIGENOUS POPULATION - at 30 June			
Percentage of total population	%	-	-
OVERSEAS BORN POPULATION: PERCENTAGE OF TOTAL POPULATION - Census 2006			
Born in Oceania and Antarctica (excluding Australia)	%	-	-
Born in North-West Europe	%	-	-
Born in Southern and Eastern Europe	%	-	-
Born in North Africa and the Middle East	%	-	-
Born in South-East Asia	%	-	-
Born in North-East Asia	%	-	-
Born in Southern and Central Asia	%	-	-
Born in Americas	%	-	-
Born in Sub-Saharan Africa	%	-	-
Total born overseas	%	-	-
SPEAKS A LANGUAGE OTHER THAN ENGLISH AT HOME - Census 2006			
Percentage of total population	%	-	-
LEVEL OF POST SCHOOL QUALIFICATIONS: PERCENTAGE OF TOTAL POPULATION AGED 15 YEARS AND OVER - Cer			
Postgraduate Degree	%	-	-
Graduate Diploma and Graduate Certificate	%	-	-
Bachelor Degree	%	-	-
Advanced Diploma and Diploma	%	-	-
Certificate	%	-	-
Inadequately Described/Not Stated	%	-	-
Total with qualifications	%	-	-
OCCUPATION OF EMPLOYED PERSONS: PERCENTAGE OF TOTAL EMPLOYED PERSONS - Census 2006			
Managers	%	-	-
Professionals	%	-	-
Technicians and Trades Workers	%	-	-
Community and Personal Service Workers	%	-	-
Clerical and Administrative Workers	%	-	-
Sales Workers	%	-	-

Machinery Operators and Drivers	%	-	-
Labourers	%	-	-
Inadequately Described/Not Stated	%	-	-
HOUSEHOLDS BY TYPE - Census 2006			
Lone person households	no.	-	-
Group households	no.	-	-
Family households	no.	-	-
Total households	no.	-	-
FAMILIES BY TYPE - Census 2006			
Couple families with children under 15 and/or dependent students	no.	-	-
Couple families with non-dependent children only	no.	-	-
Couple families without children	no.	-	-
One parent families with children under 15 and/or dependent students	no.	-	-
One parent families with non-dependent children only	no.	-	-
Other families	no.	-	-
Total families	no.	-	-
INTERNAL MIGRATION - Census 2006			
Persons who lived at same address 1 year ago	no.	-	-
Persons who lived at different address 1 year ago	no.	-	-
Persons who lived at same address 5 years ago	no.	-	-
Persons who lived at different address 5 years ago	no.	-	-
PROPORTION OF POPULATION BY REMOTENESS AREA - Census 2006			
Major Cities	%	-	-
Inner Regional	%	-	-
Outer Regional	%	-	-
Remote	%	-	-
Very Remote	%	-	-
PROPORTION OF POPULATION BY SECTION OF STATE - Census 2006			
Major Urban	%	-	-
Other Urban	%	-	-
Bounded Locality	%	-	-
Rural Balance	%	-	-
UNPAID WORK: PERCENTAGE OF TOTAL POPULATION AGED 15 YEARS AND OVER - Census 2006			
Persons undertaking voluntary work for an organisation or group	%	-	-
Persons caring for own children without pay	%	-	-
Persons caring for other children without pay	%	-	-
Persons caring for own children and other children without pay	%	-	-
Persons providing unpaid care, help or assistance to family members or others	%	-	-
ACCESS TO INTERNET AT HOME: PROPORTION OF OCCUPIED PRIVATE DWELLINGS - Census 2006			
Broadband connection	%	-	-
Dial-up connection	%	-	-
Other connection	%	-	-
Total internet connections	%	-	-
BIRTHS AND DEATHS - year ended 31 December			
Births	no.	219	247

Total fertility rate	rate	2.2	2.3
Deaths	no.	136	127
Standardised death rate	rate	8.0	7.7

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2006	2007	2008
641	643	666
661	702	721
745	711	690
587	598	624
521	535	531
540	560	582
666	660	674
740	767	769
831	793	779
746	785	798
760	768	801
730	747	782
646	690	722
499	529	543
399	415	439
281	292	293
152	160	180
83	97	107
10 228	10 452	10 701
559	562	599
684	679	649
722	704	705
525	544	570
372	374	379
445	470	514
583	569	553
677	698	702
703	713	733
716	710	714
700	748	760
665	661	677
607	648	676
423	452	508
306	334	348
235	219	223
154	173	180
131	139	149
9 207	9 397	9 639
1 200	1 205	1 265
1 345	1 381	1 370
1 467	1 415	1 395

1 112	1 142	1 194
893	909	910
985	1 030	1 096
1 249	1 229	1 227
1 417	1 465	1 471
1 534	1 506	1 512
1 462	1 495	1 512
1 460	1 516	1 561
1 395	1 408	1 459
1 253	1 338	1 398
922	981	1 051
705	749	787
516	511	516
306	333	360
214	236	256
19 435	19 849	20 340
-	-	0.4
12.9	-	-
3.0	-	-
6.5	-	-
5.9	-	-
0.1	-	-
0.8	-	-
0.3	-	-
0.3	-	-
0.9	-	-
0.6	-	-
18.3	-	-
12.0	-	-
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0.8	-	-
0.8	-	-
6.0	-	-
5.0	-	-
16.9	-	-
18.3	-	-
47.9	-	-
17.7	-	-
12.0	-	-
14.2	-	-
10.7	-	-
11.0	-	-
8.9	-	-

6.9	-	-
16.3	-	-
2.1	-	-
1 557	-	-
177	-	-
4 632	-	-
6 366	-	-
1 547	-	-
338	-	-
2 043	-	-
553	-	-
189	-	-
76	-	-
4 746	-	-
13 474	-	-
2 554	-	-
8 924	-	-
5 826	-	-
0.0	-	-
0.0	-	-
96.1	-	-
3.7	-	-
0.3	-	-
0.0	-	-
46.2	-	-
3.3	-	-
50.4	-	-
22.9	-	-
21.8	-	-
7.2	-	-
1.5	-	-
11.7	-	-
23.4	-	-
29.7	-	-
0.5	-	-
53.5	-	-
210	279	293

2.2	2.4	2.6
127	126	155
6.8	6.3	6.6

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Table 3: Industry

		2004	2005
BUILDING APPROVALS - year ended 30 June			
Private sector houses	no.	71	105
Total dwelling units	no.	73	123
Value of private sector houses	$m	11.5	17.3
Value of new residential building	$m	11.8	19.3
Value of total residential building	$m	13.5	23.3
Value of total non-residential building	$m	2.3	8.0
Value of total building	$m	15.9	31.3
Average value of private sector houses	$'000	161.8	165.2
MOTOR VEHICLE CENSUS - REGISTERED MOTOR VEHICLES - at 31 March			
Number by type of vehicle			
Passenger vehicles	no.	6 702	7 119
Campervans	no.	30	43
Light commercial vehicles	no.	3 284	3 390
Light rigid trucks	no.	119	120
Heavy rigid trucks	no.	388	406
Articulated trucks	no.	68	69
Non-freight carrying trucks	no.	15	12
Buses	no.	121	139
Motorcycles	no.	498	535
Total registered motor vehicles	no.	11 226	11 833
Rate per 1,000 population			
Passenger vehicles	no.	355	372
Campervans	no.	2	2
Light commercial vehicles	no.	174	177
Light rigid trucks	no.	6	6
Heavy rigid trucks	no.	21	21
Articulated trucks	no.	4	4
Non-freight carrying trucks	no.	1	1
Buses	no.	6	7
Motorcycles	no.	26	28
Total registered motor vehicles	no.	595	618
Age of vehicle			
Less than 5 years old	no.	2 256	2 444
5 years to less than 10 years old	no.	2 732	2 905
10 years or older	no.	6 220	6 467
Number by type of fuel			
Petrol	no.	8 005	8 429

Diesel	no.	3 114	3 301
LPG/Dual/Other	no.	107	103
GROSS VALUE OF AGRICULTURAL PRODUCTION * - year ended 30 June			
Gross value of crops	$m	-	-
Gross value of livestock slaughterings	$m	-	-
Gross value of livestock products	$m	-	-
Total gross value of agricultural production	$m	-	-
AGRICULTURAL COMMODITIES * - year ended 30 June			
Total area			
Area of holding	ha	-	-
Cereals for grain	ha	-	-
Vegetables for human consumption	ha	-	-
Orchard trees (including nuts)	ha	-	-
All fruit (excluding grapes)	ha	-	-
Non-cereal broadacre crops	ha	-	-
Total number			
Sheep and lambs	no.	-	-
Milk cattle (excluding house cows)	no.	-	-
Meat cattle	no.	-	-
Pigs	no.	-	-

* Agricultural commodities and value of production data is subject to relative standard error (RSE) - for further information see ABS

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2006	2007	2008
133	160	167
133	171	191
23.9	32.1	37.7
23.8	33.3	41.3
28.3	37.5	46.0
11.0	17.7	23.3
39.3	55.3	69.3
179.6	200.6	225.7
7 622	7 927	8 372
52	52	62
3 590	3 763	4 120
131	136	158
416	459	510
68	88	82
10	12	11
142	148	150
616	674	783
12 648	13 259	14 250
392	399	412
3	3	3
185	190	203
7	7	8
21	23	25
3	4	4
1	1	1
7	7	7
32	34	38
651	668	701
2 687	2 941	3 332
3 111	3 214	3 370
6 818	7 050	7 477
8 999	9 269	9 814

3 543	3 864	4 299
106	126	138
95.5	-	-
46.0	-	-
0.4	-	-
141.9	-	-
3 098 169.8	-	-
1 375.4	-	-
605.9	-	-
4 958.5	-	-
5 653.5	-	-
6 744.9	-	-
0	-	-
381	-	-
151 654	-	-
3 041	-	-

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Table 4: Environment and Energy

		2004	2005
LAND AREA			
Land area	km2	-	-
WATER USE ON AUSTRALIAN FARMS			
Area of agricultural land	ha '000	-	-
Area irrigated	ha '000	-	-
Irrigation volume applied	ML	-	-
Other agricultural uses	ML	-	-
Total water use	ML	-	-
Area irrigated as proportion of agricultural land	%	-	-

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2006	2007	2008
-	-	53 651.3
3 098	-	-
14	-	-
59 192	-	-
3 047	-	-
62 239	-	-
0.5	-	-